



CONCLUSION


Looking Toward 2008 and Beyond...

The summary of activities and accomplishments for IDOT in 2007 demonstrates a longstanding dedication to steadfast stewardship of assets and resources, continued excellence in transportation program delivery, and greater efficiency in internal process management. Advances in staff development, process improvements, productivity and technology within IDOT have led directly to advances in traffic safety, project delivery, communications, congestion relief and transportation development improving the economy and quality of life for travelers and workers throughout Illinois.

As IDOT looks to 2008 and beyond, long-range strategies center on further improvements in service efficiencies inside and outside IDOT, along with improved program effectiveness, staff productivity, communications and safety on behalf of all Illinois travelers and all stakeholders in the future of transportation development in Illinois.

The IDOT guiding principles promise that the Department will remain committed to continuing safety, integrity, responsiveness, quality and innovation as the IDOT way of doing business throughout Illinois. In these ways, every day, IDOT lives its pledge of professionalism and dedication to meeting the needs of Illinois travelers, and renews that pledge as a matter of course. Illinois can count on it.

IDOT FAST FACTS



Population	12.83 Million
Licensed Drivers	8.71 Million
Vehicles Registered	11.0 Million
Passenger Cars Registered	8.05 Million
Annual Vehicle Miles of Travel.....	106,813 Million
Annual Gallons of Fuel Consumed	6.611 Million
Miles of Highways and Streets	140,287
Highway Structures Greater than 20 feet.....	26,585
Public Railroad Grade Crossings.....	8,071
Private Railroad Grade Crossings.....	4,646

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